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SUBJ: ROB RESOLUTION PRONOUNCED A SUCCESS

1. SOVIET PRESS HAS PREDICTABLY HAILED UN VOTE ON ROB AS GREAT SUCCESS. SELF-CONGRATULATORY REPORTS FROM NEW YORK ARE OF INTEREST MAINLY FOR THEIR TREATMENT OF THE VOTE: IZVESTIA DEC. 8 IDENTIFIED PRC AND ALBANIA AS VOTING AGAINST, LISTING U.S. AND UK AS ABSTAINING. PRAVDA DEC. 9 USED A SIMILAR FORMULA BUT ADDED FRANCE TO THE LIST OF THOSE ABSTAINING. PERHAPS PRAVDA FELT INTRINSIC NATURE OF ROB PROPOSAL REQUIRED REPORT OF ALL PERMANENT SC MEMBERS' VOTES, OR PERHAPS PRAVDA'S MAN IN NEW YORK IS MORE TUNED IN TO CURRENT STATE OF FRANCO-SOVIET RELATIONSHIP THAN HIS IZVESTIA COLLEAGUE.
2. COMMENTARY IN IZVESTIA DEC. 10 MAKES EXPECTED POINT OF PRC NEGATIVE VOTE, BUT SAYS NOTHING ABOUT ATTITUDES OF OTHER MAJOR POWERS CALLED UPON TO REDUCE BUDGETS. FROM LDC VIEWPOINT (BASED PARTLY ON SOVIET CORRESPONDENT VISHNEVSKIY'S ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC FORUM ON WORLD
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DEVELOPMENT INFORMATION DAY). EMPHASIS THUS REMAINS ON SUCCESS OF SOVIET INITIATIVE WITHOUT ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF

ITS MINIMAL PRACTICAL EFFECT.MELENCAMP

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